

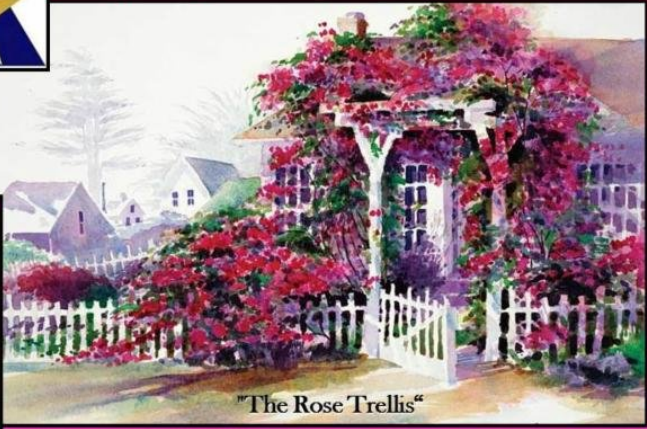


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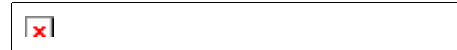
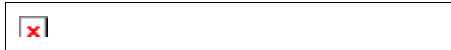


**Our Founder...
Her Dream!**

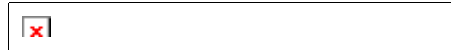
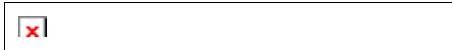
“The Rose Trellis”

Chosen to honor our founder Mrs. Rose E. Scherer.
 A “Trellis” is a structure of open latticework that is used to support and facilitate the growth of a rose bush. Thus the name “The Rose Trellis”, Rose for our founder and trellis for the support of those who believe in the Organization Of Triangles, Inc.



**Sunrise Triangle #146 celebrates the
 homecoming of
 Ally Callaghan
 State Representative
 2013-2014
 Organization of Triangles, Inc.**

October 4, 2014
 Baldwin, NY



The lodge room was completely filled as Sunrise Triangle welcomed many distinguished guests including:

- Ms. Madison, State Director
- Mrs. Lynch, State Secretary
- Mrs. Turri, Senior Advisor
- Mrs. O'Toole, Senior Advisor
- Mrs. Williams, Senior Advisor
- Mr. Callaghan, Senior Advisor
- Mrs. Piston, Senior Advisor
- Mrs. Melchert, Senior Advisor
- Annie Parks, Junior Advisor
- Sapphire Patterson, Junior Advisor
- Victoria Madonna, Miss Job's Daughter of PA
- Tyler Henderson, State Master Councilor, NY DeMolay
- "Dad" Sardone, Executive Officer, NY DeMolay
- Mr. Paolicelli, Grand Standard Bearer
- Mr. Flihan, Senior Grand Deacon
- Mr. Catapano, Grand Treasurer
- Mr. Emmons, Grand Marshal
- Grand Master William J. Thomas



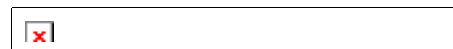
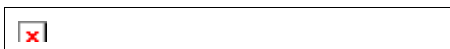
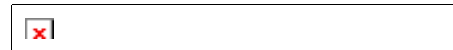
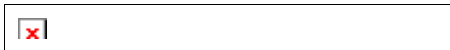
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After all of the distinguished guests were escorted to the East and introduced, the Marshals escorted their honored guest, State Representative Ally Callaghan into the room for introduction. Ally then addressed the room. She recalled pivotal moments in her Triangle career and thanked many of the people who made

this year so special for her.



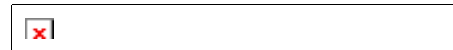
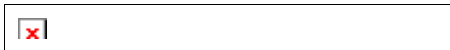
Sunrise Triangle honored Ally with some beautiful degrees and presentations. During the first degree, the girls presented her with a gorgeous bouquet of pink roses where they reflected on Ally's term as State Representative.



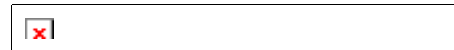
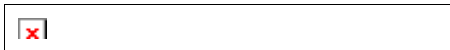
In the next degree, the members of Sunrise put together a scrapbook for Ally. Each page reflected each official visit and was crafted by the girls.



In attendance was Nassau County Legislator Laura Curran. She presented Ally with a certificate which recognized her commitment, leadership, and dedication to her community. It is always a good thing when someone involved with the Organization of Triangles is acknowledged by their community!



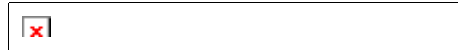
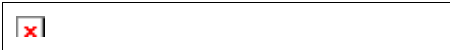
Ally is a Past State Sweetheart of NY DeMolay. Over the past two years, Dad Sardone and Ally have taken many "selfies" together. Being so modest, Dad Sardone saw nothing better to do than to compile many of those pictures and present Ally with a collage of the two of them. Once he presented them to her, they obviously needed to take a selfie with the selfie collage...



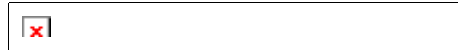
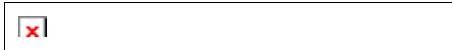
Months ago when Ally was inviting the Masonic family to the homecoming, Mrs. Thomas, the First Lady of Freemasonry, informed Ally that October 4th was her and Mr. Thomas' wedding anniversary. Even though this was the only night blocked in their calendar, they made it a point to put aside their personal plans and support Ally by being there. Talk about "supporting the youth"!

Ally then presented them both with flowers and a gift to honor their anniversary that evening.

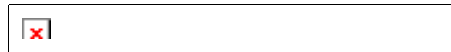
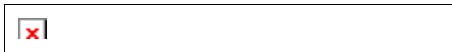
Happy Anniversary, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas!



History was made that evening, as it was the first time that a Job's Daughter attended a Triangle event! A new friendship was clearly formed and our Triangle girls are very much looking forward to attending a PA Job's Daughter event soon!



Before the night ended, Sunrise surprised Ally again with a final degree. Being a big fan of *The Wizard of Oz*, Ally was ecstatic when she heard the Beloved Queen ask the members to prepare for the "There's No Place Like Home Degree". There were trees and a yellow brick road being set up. The degree started by Ally getting a costume change where the girls changed the ribbon on her gown to a checkered one and presented her with her own basket to properly follow the yellow brick road with Toto, too. To make the look complete, they made her childhood dreams come true, as they gave her her very own pair of ruby slippers! Ally was so excited, she kicked off her own heels before anyone could ask her to!

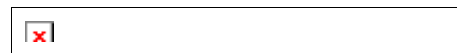
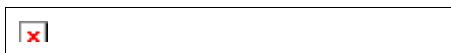


This was a very sentimental degree, as the girls reminded Ally that there really is "no place like home". Ally was instructed to click her heels together three times and say "There's no place like home!" It took a few extra clicks, but soon Ally opened her eyes to this!

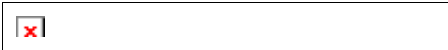


There were a few other presentations including a

slideshow of all of the pictures from her term and then she opened up a gift; her very own Mini-Me Muppet, complete with a State Representative sash and crown!

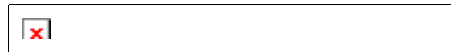
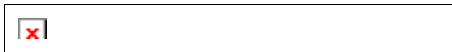


Our "First Lady", Mrs. Susan Tyler Thomas presented Ally with a few gifts including her own wand to match Mrs. Thomas' tiara that Ally got her back at Grand Lodge.



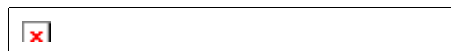
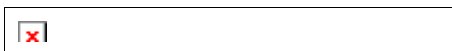
Ally addressed the room once more and thanked her Triangle for their love and support and for giving her such a beautiful homecoming. She also thanked all of the guests for coming and reminded them to always support our Masonic Youth.





(Pictured below)

Sunrise Triangle #146 celebrating a very successful event!



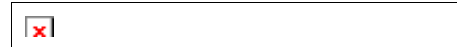
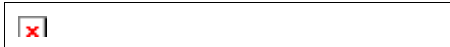
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Left:

Past, present, and future State Representatives!
(Annie Parks, Ally Callaghan, and Shannon Rudolph)

Right:

Ally with Victoria Madonna and Tyler Henderson



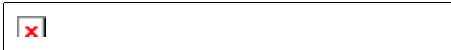
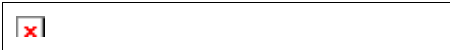
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Top:

State Director, Ms. Madison, and Ally.

Bottom:

Ally with a yummy reminder that
"There's No Place Like Home"!



The "Rose Garden"

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